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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

HIROYUKI SUGIYAMA, ET AL.

Application No.: 09/912,340

Filed: July 26, 2001

For: LIQUID DISCHARGE HEAD,
LIQUID DISCHARGE
APPARATUS, AND METHOD OF
MANUFACTURING LIQUID
DISCHARGE HEAD

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

Group Art Unit: 2853

October 26, 2001

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

CLAIM TO PRIORITY

Sir:

Applicants hereby claim priority under the International Convention and all rights to which they are entitled under 35 U.S.C. § 119 based upon the following Japanese Priority Application: 2000-232411, filed on July 31, 2000.

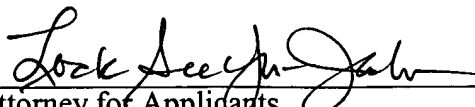
A certified copy of the priority document is enclosed.

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